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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

| GARY O. HATHAWAY, |) | |
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| Plaintiff, |) CV 05-98-0 | 20 |
| v. |) ORDER | |
| ROGUE VALLEY TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT, an Oregon special district, et al., |))) | |
| Defendants. |) | |

PANNER, J.

On August 17, 2006, Magistrate Judge Cooney filed his Findings and Recommendation (docket # 40), recommending that Plaintiff's motion (# 35) for leave to file a third amended complaint, and for leave to reopen discovery, be granted. The matter is now before me for review pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). I find no error.

Conclusion

Magistrate Judge Cooney's Findings and Recommendation (docket # 40) are adopted. Plaintiff's motion (# 35) for leave to file a third amended complaint, and for leave to reopen

discovery, is granted. Judge Cooney will enter an order establishing a new discovery deadline.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this _____ day of September, 2006.

OWEN M. PANNER

U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE